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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Tadashi IURA et al.**

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For: **SUPPORTIVE DEVICE FOR HANDICAPPED PEOPLE**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Director of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Prior to the calculation of the filing fees of the above application, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 5, line 1, change "any of claims 1 to 4" to --claim 1--.

Claim 9, line 1, change "any of claims 6 to 8" to --claim 6 or 7--.

Claim 10, line 1, change "any of claims 6 to 9" to --claim 6 or 7--.

Claim 11, line 1, change "any of claims 6 to 10" to --claim 6 or 7--.

Claim 14, line 1, change ", 12 or 13" to --or 12--.

Claim 15, line 1, change "any of claims 12 to 14" to --claim 12--.

Claim 16, line 1, change "any of claims 6 to 11" to --claim 6 or 7--.

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